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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: Matt Anderson  
TOSHIO ICHIZAKI )  
: Group Art Unit: 1765  
Application No.: 09/048,795 )  
: Filed: March 27, 1998 )  
: For: PRODUCTION APPARATUS )  
AND METHOD FOR MAKING )  
FLUORIDE CRYSTAL AND )  
CRUCIBLE FOR USE IN )  
THAT METHOD (As )  
Amended) : October 26, 2000

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

A timely Notice of Appeal having been filed for the  
subject application on August 30, 2000, please amend the  
subject application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 as follows: